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For : OPTICAL SYSTEM WITH OBJECTIVE LENS HAVING
DIFFRACTION STRUCTURE

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.112

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Sir :

In response to the Official Action dated May 9, 2007, setting a shortened three-, month statutory period for response to expire on August 9, 2007, and having been extended by two months to expire on October 9, 2007, by the accompanying request for extension of time, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and objections in view of the herein contained remarks.